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JANUARY, 1885.  
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Continental Insurance Company,  
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Insures, Merchandise, Household Furniture, and all kinds of real property, at the rates of time, Losses, and other Insurance, as warranted by other solvent institutions.  
The Directors of the net profits of the business of the Company, are divided annually to holders of its policies.

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First Annual Division to Policy Holders, declared July 9th, 1897, at rate of 1.5 per cent. Second do., declared July 9th, 1898, at rate of 1.5 per cent.; Third do., will be declared July, 1899.

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We have declared a DIVIDEND ON PREMIUMS paid and interest on the last five years, payable in cash to all the policy holders as follows:

\$6	per cent. to all members since	"	1843.
10	" " " " " "	"	1845.
3%	" " " " " "	"	1848.

The Dividend is declared on the following basis:

Amount paid Dec. 1, 1898,	\$1,390,627 21
Deduction for Reserve at	
the usual rate,	\$800,762 21
Estimated deduction of Interest—	
allowance than by difference of age,	\$80,000 00
amount of losses not heard from,	20,000 00
contingencies of Investments, &	
on account of the amount of profits	
of the Company,	69,781 00
Reserve for small risks not present-	
ing, and charges against the same,	1,016 00
Total on business not yet matured,	\$1,016 00
Amount of surplus for distribution,	\$33,765 00 or \$1,356,827 22

This is the oldest American Mutual Life Insurance company, and one of the most successful, and is purely American, dividing all the surplus profits in cash, among all the insured.

A dividend may be effected for the benefit of married women, beyond the reach of their husbands' creditors. Credit may insure the lives of debitors.

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